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Post raised reftel points with DFAT Human Rights Director Sandra Vegting on April 3. Vegting said that she believed that the GOA will likely support the U.S. candidate, but has not heard the final decision. Post will advise when DFAT's official confirmation is received.

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